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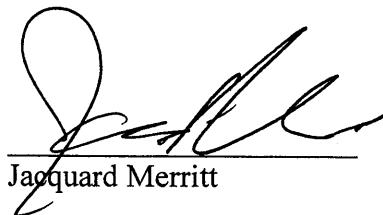
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**AFFIDAVIT**

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public, in and for Montgomery County, Alabama, personally appeared Jacquard Merritt, who being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

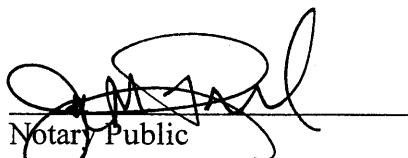
To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Jacquard Merritt. I am a United States citizen and a resident of Montgomery, Alabama. I am the rightful owner of \$36,500.00 in United States Currency and 4878.00 in United States Currency seized by agents of the Drug Enforcement Administration on July 6, 2005, held under asset ID# 05-DEA-454747 and 454745. I hereby lay claim to this property as possessor and owner. I make this affidavit under oath, subject to penalty of perjury (Title 18 USC 983(a)(2)(c).



Jacquard Merritt

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of September, 2005.



Notary Public

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF ALABAMA AT LARGE  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: Sep 21, 2008  
BONDED THRU NOTARY PUBLIC UNDERWRITERS

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_